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TAGS: EAGR, ETRD

SUBJECT: SUGAR: REPRESENTATIONS TO GOF RE PARIS SUGAR  
MARKET

DEPARTMENT PASS AGRICULTURE

REF: STATE 275753

ECON/COM MIN DECEMBER 24 CALLED ON FRENCH MINISTER OF  
COMMERCE, VINCENT ANSQUER, TO EXPLAIN USG CONCERN RE  
PARIS SUGAR MARKET AND TO LEAVE AIDE-MEMOIRE AS  
INDICATED REFTEL. ANSQUER ASSURED US THAT GOF IS  
ANXIOUS TO SEE PROBLEM SOLVED AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AND  
FOR NORMAL TRADE IN WHITE SUGAR TO RESUME. GOF BELIEVES  
PARIS, AN IMPORTANT INTERNATIONAL MARKET, HAS A ROLE TO  
PLAY. THIS REQUIRES WHOLE BOURSE DE COMMERCE TO BE  
PUT ON MORE SOLID BASIS THAN BEFORE PRESENT CRISIS.  
MINISTER COUNTS ON INQUIRY COMMISSION HE RECENTLY  
APPOINTED TO RECOMMEND SOLUTIONS. ANSQUER SEES SOLUTION  
COMING ABOUT GRADUALLY. FIRST NORMAL QUOTATIONS HAVE  
TO BE RESUMED AND ONLY LATER CAN OTHER NEEDED ADJUST-  
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MENTS BE MADE. AT END OF CORDIAL MEETING, MINISTER

ASSURED US AGAIN THAT GOF NOT INTERESTED IN SEEING ANY  
DAMAGE TO FOREIGN INTERESTS IN SUGAR MARKET AND ON  
CONTRARY WILL DO ALL IT CAN NOT ONLY TO RESTORE THE  
MARKET BUT TO IMPROVE ITS OPERATION. HE IS CONFIDENT  
THE MARKET CAN BE SAVED.

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## Message Attributes

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